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**Subject:** Bremerton Gasworks

Hi Kristen and Shayne,

EPA and Cascade Natural Gas are getting closer to finalizing the agreement between us on the work they will do to investigate contamination at the Bremerton Gasworks site and adjacent beach. If they are able to meet their planned schedule for sampling for the removal evaluation, they expect to collect samples on the beach during low tide in January or February 2013. If a removal action is justified, they hope to do it around June 2013. It is hard to say right now what the removal action might consist of but my guess is they might do a little more capping on the beach next to the current cap. We are not soliciting comments on the agreement to perform the removal assessment, however any proposed removal action that is identified will be shared with you and other stakeholders for your input.

I have a DNR consent for access for the beach signed by you, Kristin. There is no language in the consent that would invalidate it for this additional removal assessment or removal action so it would still be in effect. However, as I believe I have mentioned in the past, you can withdraw your consent at any time. So I just want to make sure that you are still willing to allow Cascade Natural Gas, EPA, and their contractors access to the beach for the removal evaluation phase of the upcoming work. Please let me know.

Thanks,

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